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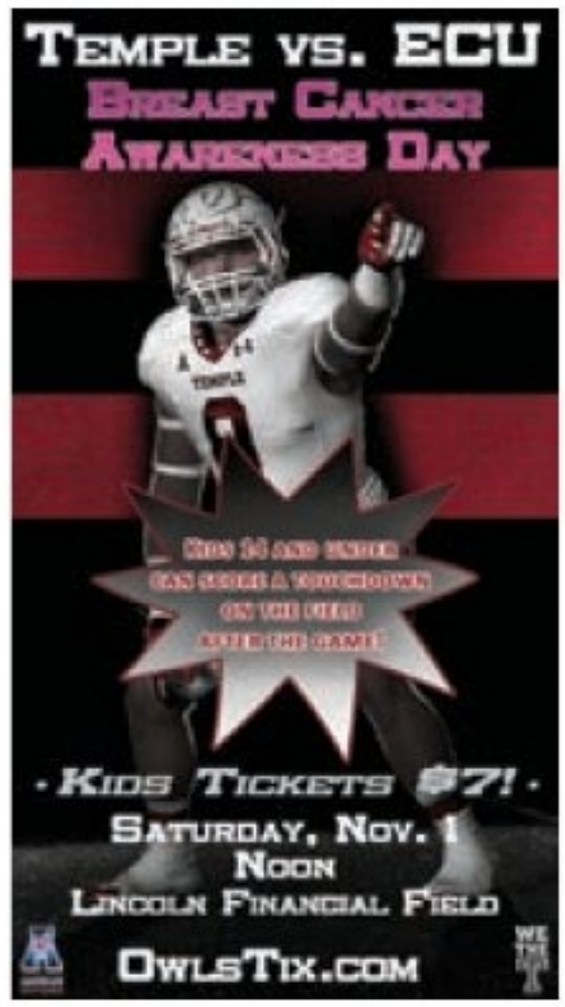

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Philadelphia 14-year-old Emily DiPrimio is all set for her Kickstarted throwback '80s slasher flick "Carver" to be released. / PROVIDED

City Council blocks PGW sale, citing concerns

Development. After an independent review, City Council President Darrell Clarke said there will be no introduction of a bill to allow for the sale of Philadelphia Gas Works. Mayor Michael Nutter fired back, saying the halting is the "biggest cop-out that we've seen in recent legislative history." Clarke said City Council will hold hearings later this year on how Philadelphia can develop PGW. PAGE 02

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2 'VIDEO: 'All About That Bass' gets a classic jazz spin'

3 'Today in hoaxes: Judd Nelson is doing just fine'

PGW sale called too risky by Council prez

Philadelphia. A $1.86 billion proposed sale of PGW is not happening, City Council announced on Monday.

After an independent review of a proposal to sell the Philadelphia Gas Works, City Council President Darrell Clarke announced on Monday that City Council will not introduce any bill to allow for the $1.86 billion sale of the utility proposed in March by Mayor Michael Nutter.

"City Council does not endorse the sale of PGW as proposed," Clarke said.

Clarke cited a number of concerns with the proposal by UIL holdings, a Connecticut-based energy company, including that rates might increase after a contractual three-year freeze.

Nutter blasted the announcement, calling it "quite possibly the biggest cop-out that we've seen in recent legislative history in Philadelphia."

Nutter criticized City Council for announcing the decision without holding a public hearing to address concerns or a public vote by its members.

Quoted

"We came to the conclusion that we could not endorse the deal. ... It was not a great proposal." Clarke, of the UIL

But Clarke said that City Council will undertake a series of hearings, likely to start in December, on how the city can develop PGW and other assets toward becoming a "regional energy hub."

"It could be worth more [than the UIL proposal]," Clarke said of PGW.

The UIL proposal was alleged to possibly funnel $424 to $631 million into city pensions.

But Clarke said that issue is not as much of a concern as it once was.

"Our pensions have significantly improved. The workers of the city of Philadelphia made significant changes in their pension plans, we all did and our pension is much healthier," he said.

Complaints

City Council and Concentric found the following lacking from the UIL proposal:

- Income-based assistance programs
- Committing to staying in Philadelphia beyond three years
- Committing to accelerate pipe replacement

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Transport Workers Union Local 234 leader Willie Brown discusses a possible strike. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER, METRO

SEPTA. Union could strike this weekend

The earliest SEPTA's largest union would strike would be this weekend, union officials said on Monday.

"I can't promise anything beyond this week," said Willie Brown, president of Transport Workers Union Local 234. "At the end of the week, after negotiating with SEPTA for the rest of the week, I will evaluate where we are and make that determination whether or not a strike will be necessary."

How far apart are the two sides?

"California and Pennsylvania," Brown said.

When asked if the union would give 24 hours notice before going on strike, Brown said: "I guess I could do that."

Brown reiterated Monday that the union is mainly asking for pension reform. The union is also asking for a short-term contract to hold members over until the Affordable Care Act takes effect in 2018.

In a statement, SEPTA said it "is pleased that TWU 234 has agreed to provide our riders 24 hours notice if they decide to strike. We however hope we can continue bargaining." TOMMY ROWAN

By the numbers

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The some 5,000 union members — which include bus, train and trolley operators, mechanics and cashiers — have been working under an expired contract since March.

Center City

Century 21 Department Store opens

New York-based fashion retailer Century 21 Department Store opens today with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 11 a.m.

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It will be the anchor tenant at The Gallery, which more development to come.

Century 21 specializes in designer merchandise up to 65 percent off retail value. METRO

New Jersey

Death of Rutgers student an accident: Report

The death of 19-year-old Rutgers student Caitlyn Kovacs last month was ruled accidental Monday, reports said.

Caitlyn Kovacs / FILE PHOTO

Caitlyn Kovacs died on Sept. 21 while attending a party at the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity house in New Brunswick. Friends took her to the hospital, where she later died.

The medical examiner told NBC10 Kovacs died from acute ethanol toxicity. METRO

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It's-a me, Mario! Halloween at CHOP

Eagles backup quarterback Mark Sanchez shakes hands with Hannah Stetson, 10, on Monday, as Eagles players dressed in Halloween costumes and dropped by the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia to visit with sick and injured children. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER, METRO

Still running. UberX to continue operations despite PPA stings

Despite "sting" operations by Philadelphia Parking Authority enforcement officers that led to the impounding of five UberX vehicles this weekend, the service has no plans to leave Philadelphia.

"We didn't expect riot gear and horses. That was an excessive use of force, that was an intimidation tactic," said Uber spokesman Taylor Bennett, referring to the police response to Uber vehicles which PPA officers summoned using the mobile phone taxi app.

Uber will pay the $1,000 fines and impoundment costs the drivers face, Bennett said.

"Any vehicle caught providing illegal hack taxi service in Philadelphia via UberX or any other transportation network provider or app will be immediately impounded," said PPA executive director Vince Fenerty. "It is troubling that a company which spent months unsuccessfully lobbying the legislature to legalize its operation is now blatantly violating the very laws it sought to change."

Ronald Blount, president of the Taxi Workers Alliance of Pennsylvania, said "Uber should follow the law." State law currently prohibits non-medallion taxi cabs from operating.

"It's antiquated … it's time to modernize," Bennett said. "When you have people clamoring for a better alternative, you should craft laws that allow that."

SAM NEWHOUSE

Weekend sting

Uber, based in San Francisco, launched in Philadelphia on Friday.

- Five Uber drivers were nabbed by a PPA sting over the weekend.
- They were surrounded by officers in riot gear and mounted units, their vehicles were impounded and each driver was slapped with a $1,000 fine.

Visit **Metro.us** for more details of the PPD trying to stop UberX.

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"I strongly support having Uber/Lyft services in Philly … they must operate LEGALLY in Phila, but #PPA is blocking them." @Michael_Nutter

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Exited. Pa. Supreme Court Justice Seamus McCaffery retires

State Supreme Court Justice Seamus McCaffery retired from his position Monday, one week after he was suspended after a pornographic email scandal rocked the state capital.

According to the Philadelphia Daily News, McCaffery decided to retire rather than enter a lengthy legal battle that would cost a significant amount of time and money.

Last week, four other justices voted in favor of the 64-year-old's suspension from the bench.

While in office, he publicly feuded with Chief Justice Ron Castille, also of Philadelphia, who had been instrumental in bringing to light sexually explicit emails sent and received in McCaffery's state-issued email address.

McCaffery, a former city cop, is a native of Northeast Philadelphia.

TOMMY ROWAN

Northeast

Man pays fine for cruelty to animals

A Mayfair man was fined $500 fine Monday on each of two counts for allowing his two dogs to become emaciated.

Brian Halbherr, 27, was found guilty of cruelty to animals after the PSPCA found two dogs at his Friendship Road home that looked to be severely malnourished.

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Students from Charter must find new schools

A woman walks by an empty Walter D. Palmer Charter High School in Frankford on Monday afternoon. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER, METRO

Frankford. Walter Palmer Charter closed its doors on Monday morning.

A meeting was held Monday night for the high school students of Walter Palmer Charter Leadership to meet representatives of charters, Catholic schools and district schools where they may soon be studying, after all high school classes were abruptly ended.

"West Philadelphia [High School] has come out as an option; they have the space to accommodate more students than they have currently enrolled, and it could be possible to keep Palmer students intact," said Maura Pennington, a spokeswoman for the school.

Last week, the school announced that high school classes were ending Monday.

Two weeks ago, 260 students from the lower grades were selected by lottery to leave the school.

With classes for 286 high school students canceled, the enrollment number will return to 675.

Numbers game

The K-12 charter school had 1,290 students, after taking on students beyond its charter to limit of 675.

- Last month, Palmer was ordered to pay back the $1.5 million in state funds it received for students beyond the 675 enrollment.

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Quarantined New Jersey nurse goes home as Pentagon isolates soldiers

Virus. Federal and local quarantine policies are starting to contradict one another.

The U.S. military was isolating personnel returning from their missions to help West African countries curb Ebola, even though they showed no sign of infection and a nurse who treated patients in Sierra Leone was released on Monday to go home to Maine after New Jersey forced her into quarantine.

The decision by the Pentagon goes well beyond previously established military protocols and came just as the White House pushed to roll back steps by U.S. states to quarantine health care workers returning from the three countries at the center of the Ebola epidemic, even if they were asymptomatic.

The U.S. Army has already isolated about a dozen soldiers at part of a U.S. base in Italy, including Maj. General Darryl Williams, who oversaw the initial response to the Ebola outbreak, the worst on record.

Some state officials, grappling with an unfamiliar public health threat, have called federal restrictions placed on people traveling from Ebola-affected countries insufficient to protect Americans and have imposed tougher measures such as automatic quarantines on returning medical workers.

The case of nurse Kaci Hickox, put into quarantine on Friday under a New Jersey policy that exceeded precautions adopted by the U.S. government, underscored the dilemma that federal and state officials are facing.

New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie, who has defended his state's policy of automatic quarantine for medical workers returning from treating patients in Liberia, Sierra Leone and Guinea, told reporters he did not reverse the policy in allowing her to be discharged from the hospital.

"She hadn't had any symptoms for 24 hours and she tested negative ... so there's no reason to keep her," Christie said. REUTERS

U.S. troops returning from West Africa will be isolated, according to the Pentagon. / REUTERS

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"We're very happy that she has been released from the hospital."
Christie

Ebola

Returning health care workers should not be quarantined, CDC says

Federal health officials on Monday called for voluntary home quarantine for people at the highest risk for Ebola infection but said most medical workers returning from West Africa would require daily monitoring without isolation.

The CDC said high-risk people include health care workers who suffer a needle stick while caring for an Ebola patient or who don't wear protective gear. REUTERS

Let the Weight Be Over

For as long as I could remember, I had been overweight. I graduated from the "husky" section to the "big and tall" shops before I was even out of high school. As I got older, diets came and went; some were moderately successful, some were just expensive hobbies, and all were short-lived.

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Netflix rival. Amazon buys comedy service to expand digital content

Amazon.com Inc. is buying online comedy service Rooftop Media, a small deal that underscores the Internet retailer's broader ambition of becoming a media and entertainment powerhouse.

Amazon is persisting in buying content to round out its service, with designs to take on Netflix Inc. and other online digital media services. But that increasing spending has helped keep the company in the red, inviting criticism from investors.

Audible, the audio books service it bought in 2008 for $300 million, is picking up the 10-person company for an undisclosed sum. Audible founder and Chief Executive Donald Katz said in a statement on Monday the company had been attracted by Rooftop's content as well as its pool of comic talent.

The company's media partners include Apple and Yahoo, and it also works with streaming services. REUTERS

Rooftop records comedians performing at clubs and licenses the digital rights to thousands of hours of comedy. / YOUTUBE

Rite Aid the latest retailer to block new Apple Pay mobile payment system

Rival app. Many chains have entered into an agreement to use Current C, which is still being developed.

U.S. drugstore chain Rite Aid will ban Apple's new electronic payments service in its 4,572 stores as it commits to joining a consortium of other large retailers developing a rival payments system.

Retailers including Walmart, Target and Kohl's have all refused to accept Apple Pay at their stores.

Apple Pay, which was unveiled in September, is a mobile payment app that allows consumers to buy things by simply holding their iPhone 6 devices up to readers installed by store merchants.

The rival system, called Current C, is being developed by Merchants Customer Exchange (MCX), a consortium that includes Rite Aid and CVS.

Rite Aid stopped accepting Apple Pay last week. Spokeswoman Ashley Flower said the company is continually evaluating various forms of mobile payment technologies.

On Sunday, The New York Times reported that Rite Aid and CVS Health had refused to accept Apple Pay. CVS did not immediately respond to requests for comment.

"I think these two retailers – Rite Aid and CVS – have committed contractually to MCX," said Nick Holland of Javelin Strategy & Research. REUTERS

Apple CEO Tim Cook talks about Apple Pay during an Apple special event. / GETTY IMAGES

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"(The company is) still in the process of evaluating our mobile payment options."

A Rite Aid spokeswoman told The New York Times that the company does not currently accept Apple Pay.

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Washington state

Second shooting victim dies

A girl shot during a rampage at a high school in Washington state that left another student dead along with the gunman has died from her injuries, Providence Regional Medical Center in Everett said on Sunday.

Gia Soriano, 14, died on Sunday evening. She was among four wounded in a Friday morning shooting in a cafeteria at Marysville-Pilchuck High School, an hour's drive north of Seattle.

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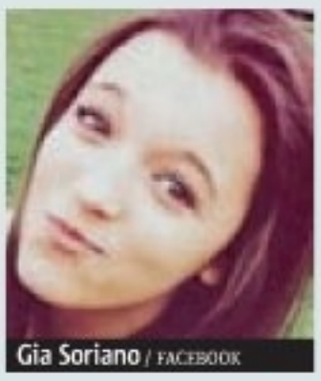

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OMG! Dull Men's Club represents the most uninteresting and proud people in the world

These guys think it's OK to be boring. The Dull Men's Club, created by Winchester, England-based Leland Carlson, now counts more than 5,000 members. The 75-year-old invites people to celebrate the ordinary and share their more-often-than-not mundane thoughts and experiences. Recently, they even made their own "Dull Men of Great Britain — 2015 Calendar." Strange and dull hobbies, as it turns out, have no limit: mailbox lovers, brick collectors and seawall builders. "My dull interest is park benches," Carlson tells Metro.

One of Great Britian's dullest examines some bottles. / METRO WORLD

How did you come up with this club?
At the bar at the New York Athletic Club, we were reading the club's monthly magazine ... that has many pages about clubs within the club — clubs for boxing, wrestling, skiing, etc. One of the guys there said, "We don't do any of those things." Another said, "Yes, we are kind of dull." I said, "Let's start a page for a Dull Men's Club in the magazine," so we did.

What is the main point?
Our motto says it all: "Celebrating the Ordinary."

Can you describe an average member of your club?
A man who is content with life, especially his hobbies and interests in everyday, mundane things – things that other people think are dull.

Is it hard to become a club member?
[It's] not so easy. We have some tests for the new members. For example: "Is gray one of your favorite colors?" etc.

Which of your club members has the strangest interest?
Archie Workman, the "drainspotter." We have all heard of trainspotters but Archie ... he's become fascinated with the drain covers he comes across. He cleans them and makes sure they are functioning properly.

DMITRY BELYAEV, METRO WORLD NEWS

Question

Describe a perfect park bench?

A comfortable seat is a must, and back and arm rests are also nice to have.

Hazing

Trial begins in college marching band death

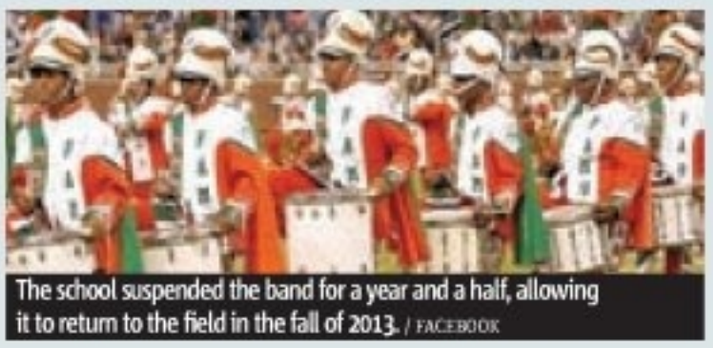
Three years after the beating death of a Florida college band member brought national attention to its hazing rituals, the alleged ringleader of the abuse went on trial on Monday for manslaughter.

Dante Martin, 27, a former member of the Florida A&M University's celebrated "Marching 100" band, faces hazing charges for his role in the death of Robert Champion, a band drum major.

Martin kept his eyes down and jotted in a legal pad as jury selection began in an Orlando courtroom. About a dozen potential jurors recalled their own hazing experiences in band, Greek organizations or on sports teams.

Champion, 26, died in November 2011 onboard a charter bus that brought the band to Orlando for an annual football game featuring two historically black universities. At halftime, their bands competed during popular, jazz-inspired shows.

Fourteen band members have faced charges for punching, kicking and striking Champion during a hazing ritual known as "Crossing Bus C." Most received probation and community service in plea deals. Charges were dismissed against a 15th person. REUTERS



The school suspended the band for a year and a half, allowing it to return to the field in the fall of 2013. / FACEBOOK

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Technology. Drones have some advocates on college campuses

When the average person thinks of a drone, the military uses of the unpiloted aircrafts are probably what come to mind. But some college professors say drones can be used in unique ways in class to further learning on campus and beyond.

At Ohio Wesleyan University, Chief Information Officer Brian Rellinger says he's been using drones with students to do things like photograph sports games and study wildlife and agriculture. In an interview with Vala Afshar for the Huffington Post's Impact blog, Rellinger stressed that drones could bring researchers access to places previously inadmissible to them, which would allow "gathering data from sacred forests in Ethiopia, mapping lava flows in Ecuador and surveying the forest canopy in Costa Rica."

But all of this technology comes with a price. The types of drones that would be used for educational purposes run from $500 to $3,000. LAKSHMI GANDHI

The catch

Of course, not everyone is thrilled with the idea of putting drones in the hands of college students. Some of the ethical questions Rellinger and others often hear include concerns about privacy and the drones being used for spying or unwanted photography.

Visitors attend the fair on unmanned aerial vehicles in the Netherlands last year. / AFP

Colleges tighten travel bans due to Ebola crisis

Studying abroad. Students are prohibited from heading to the stricken region.

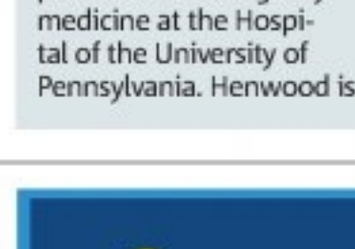
As West Africa continues to fight the spread of Ebola, colleges and universities are tightening restrictions on where students and professors can study abroad and do research.

The International Business Times reports that universities across the country are prohibiting students from heading to Guinea, Sierra Leone and Liberia — the three countries hit hardest by the epidemic. The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) currently advises all Americans to avoid nonessential travel to the region while also noting that "education-related travel to these counties should be postponed until further notice."

Columbia University announced its travel ban earlier this month, citing the CDC advisory. "Accordingly, all Columbia students, faculty and staff must avoid travel to Sierra Leone, Guinea and Liberia," the university said in a statement. "Students will not receive credit or funding for activities involving travel in these countries, and student groups are not permitted to visit any of them."

Columbia is also among the universities that have said that they will make exceptions for faculty members going to West Africa for humanitarian reasons.

The University of Pennsylvania and Georgetown have also issued student travel restrictions.



Health workers from the Liberian Red Cross wear protective gear as they work in a clinic. / AFP

Close to home

Fighting the epidemic

One local faculty member who is traveling to Liberia to help stop Ebola is Trish Henwood, an assistant professor of emergency medicine at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. Henwood is getting ready to work with the International Medical Corps in Bong County, Liberia.

"I realize risks are associated with it, but they are calculated risks, and I feel like I have the right training and background," she explained to the Philadelphia Inquirer.

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Learning Chinese has been a goal of Zuckerberg's since he started dating his now-wife, Priscilla Chan. / GETTY IMAGES

Global connection

Facebook's "presence" in China

Facebook may be banned for use in China, but the company still has an office there. Zuckerberg says they help Chinese companies connect with the rest of the world.

Mark Zuckerberg now speaks fluent Chinese

Going global. He wins again.

Running a $190 billion company and donating $25 million to fight Ebola just isn't enough for Mark Zuckerberg. The Facebook CEO has recently learned Mandarin Chinese. And we're not just talking taking a couple classes and calling himself fluent just so he can list it on his resume. Zuckerberg hosted a 30-minute Q&A at a Beijing university last week all in Chinese to put his new language skills to the test.

Students told the Associated Press that Zuckerberg's Chinese was very difficult to understand and he still has a long way to go, but they were nonetheless impressed. Zuckerberg said China is a great country and he hopes learning the language will help him learn more about the culture. Learning Chinese has been a goal of Zuckerberg's since he began dating his now-wife Priscilla Chan in 2010. Chan is Chinese-American.

The importance of Zuckerberg's talk is that Facebook has been banned in China since 2009 (Twitter, YouTube and Instagram are also blocked), something that of course came up in the question-and-answer session. When one student asked what Facebook's plans in China were, Zuckerberg told the crowd Facebook already was in China, helping Chinese companies gain customers abroad.

In addition to questions about Facebook's relevance in China, students asked personal questions as well, such as what his favorite Chinese dish was and his favorite color. He also imparted the students with his business advice: "The most important thing is to not give up," he said. "It's very difficult to develop a company. Most things won't go smoothly. You'll have to make some difficult decisions. You may have to lay some people off. If you don't believe in your mission, it's very easy to give up. Most founders give up. But the best ones don't."

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Need-to-know marijuana stock lessons

I am featured in the November issue of Men's Journal magazine in an article titled, "Buying High: How to Get Rich on Pot Stocks." It's a comprehensive, entertaining and greatly educational story. Here are three of the key takeaways:

Lesson No. 1: The dot-bong bubble is no dot-com bubble

Just because weed is going mainstream doesn't mean the sector is suitable for investment. Marijuana stocks boomed in early 2014 but have since dropped 75 percent to 99 percent, not due to a lack of demand for the product but because nearly all the businesses in this sector are run by questionable characters with questionable business models. Do not make the classic mistake of thinking that just because a business is booming short-term that the underlying company's stock price will boom long-term. This newly legalized sector faces a mountain of obstacles before being ready for the investing public.

Lesson No. 2: The naive blame short-sellers

In every boom and bust, the naive look for a scapegoat, and it's short-sellers who take the fall every time. Whether I shorted these stocks or warned against holding them or not, they all still would have crashed and burned in the exact same manner since there are barely enough shares to short for a few hundred short-sellers. There is nowhere near enough supply to influence the stock prices in any way given that these marijuana stocks traded in excess of 10 to even 50 million shares per day during their peak.

Lesson No. 3: Booms, busts happen to every sector

Marijuana stock investors, like Chinese stock investors, alternative energy stock investors and investors in other hot sectors like to believe their sector is different. It isn't. They're all the same. So marijuana is becoming legal in more places; potheads everywhere, you have my sincere congratulations. Your sector, like every other stock sector in history, got hot for a few weeks and months and then crashed and burned. I'm sure it'll bounce again sometime in the future, too. Don't shoot the messenger or blame short-sellers. Study stock market history, adapt to this surprisingly repetitive cycle and learn to profit in the future. The longer you resist history, the worse is it for you, as you will remain in a constant state of doubt.

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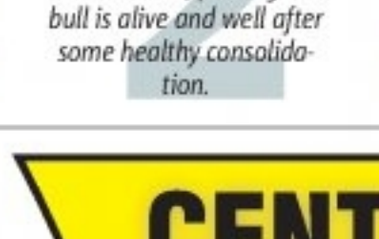
A potential Ebola outbreak and the always dangerous month of October combined are putting some fear into U.S. investors, which we sorely needed this late in a bull market.



While we worry about a few cases of Ebola in the U.S., the outbreak in Africa is out of control. That's the real problem.

What Sykes is into this week

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Peyton Manning became the NFL's all-time touchdown leader, a well-deserved honor. I just wish his baby brother, Eli, could do better.

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The U.S. stock markets came roaring back from recent losses, proving the bull is alive and well after some healthy consolidation.

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A heroic teacher tried to stop the Washington state high school shooter during his rampage; we need more teachers like this!

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Leo monkeys around for Halloween

Leonardo DiCaprio knows how to party, and apparently that means wearing a chimpanzee mask. A man believed to be DiCaprio was seen alongside Australian pal James Packer ushering a trio of women clad in skimpy Halloween costumes into a waiting SUV outside of Nobu in Malibu over the weekend. While the men in the group were wearing casual clothing plus masks — the bare minimum of effort when it comes to costumes — the women were dressed up as Sexy Wonder Woman, Sexy Greek Goddess and Sexy Playboy Bunny, which is more than a little redundant. Look, I know it's Halloween and all, but I don't see why celebs like DiCaprio don't just do this all the time. The old cap and sunglasses look doesn't fool anyone.

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Oprah: You get a car! — on your foot!

This probably isn't exactly what Oprah Winfrey meant with her famous "You get a car! And you get a car!" routine. The media mogul's SUV recently ran over a woman's foot outside a Miami steakhouse. "It has always been on my bucket list to meet Oprah, but I could never have imagined it would be because her driver ran over my toe," the victim, Lori Geller Bender, tells Page Six. See, that's the thing about the Secret: You have to be specific or else who knows what will happen.

"We were crossing the street to arrive at the restaurant, and there were a lot of cameras. I could see a big crowd of security guards, and as soon as Oprah got into the car, it pulled out from the curb and a wheel went over my foot. I was wearing heels, my toe was trapped under the wheel and I fell to the ground, hitting my coccyx and my head," Geller Bender says. "The driver reversed off my foot and Oprah jumped out. She couldn't have been nicer and more gracious. She looked really shocked and asked me if I was OK, and took a good look at my foot. I wasn't hurt, and I told her I was fine. Oprah said, 'Well, that's worth a picture,' and she put her arm around me and we took some photos." OK, two things: As impressive as her resume is, Winfrey is not an orthopedist, so I'd take her assessment of your injuries with a grain of salt. And two: A lawyer may differ about what "that's worth."

More 'uncoupling' for Chris Martin

So, Jennifer Lawrence and Chris Martin? Not so much dating anymore, at least not according to E! News. I mean, you know what they say about rebound relationships, right? And technically this one was a double-rebound, what with Lawrence splitting (again) from adorable "X-Men" co-star Nicholas Hoult and Martin famously being consciously uncoupled from Gwyneth Paltrow and the corporate offices of Goop Enterprises. Sources say that the uncoupling here wasn't as much of the conscious variety for Martin: "Jen is the one who broke it off with Chris," a source with a knack for stating the obvious tells People magazine.

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K-Stew's friends 'dropping like flies'?

Kristen Stewart's changed, man. At least that's the line some of her anonymous "friends" are feeding Radar Online. The former "Twilight" star, who recently announced she's "taking time off" from acting, has been putting on airs, apparently. "Kristen doesn't even resemble the person that we knew from before she was with Rob [Pattinson]. She used to be a very low-key, cool girl," a source gripes. "But her inflated ego has convinced her that even her childhood friends only want to hang out with her because of 'who she is.' It's really sad, and her friends are literally dropping like flies." Wait, literally? That sounds terrifying.

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Viral video

OK Go, 'I Won't Let You Down'

As they are wont to do, OK Go uploaded their newest "how the heck did they do that?!" music video without warning yesterday. It's kinda formulaic, though. Want to know the formula? Drone camera plus Esther Williams-style choreography plus approximately 2,000 Honda UNI-CUBs plus umbrellas that look like dots on an LED screen when the drone ascends into the stratosphere equals another video that's nothing short of a masterpiece from OK Go. So yeah, totally formulaic. But then it's OK to be formulaic when your formula is pure awesomeness. Oh, and as always, the song is pretty catchy, too.

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Twitter feed

Today, Lena Dunham is coming for your kids, Dwayne Johnson has already been up for hours, Kelly Osbourne is getting older, Samantha Ronson apparently doesn't have Netflix and Judd Apatow has found something better than Ambien.

@lenadunham: Excited to pursue my favorite hobby in London: eavesdropping on British children

@TheRock: Raise the bar, outwork the competition and wake up at a "you gotta be s—in' me" hour to workout. #445AM #LetsRoll

@KellyOsbourne: Good bye 20's hello 30's

@samantharonson: I miss the west wing.

@JuddApatow: I don't even need to read a good book to fall asleep. I can just think "I should really read one of the great novels" and I am out.

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Watch out for the pumpkins in 'Carver'

Halloween movie. Director Emily DiPrimio is making a gory, 1980s-style slasher flick. Also, she's 14.

DiPrimio dreamed up this creepy pumpkin-head character. / PROVIDED

While most 14-year-olds were hanging out at the mall, Philly native Emily DiPrimio was crowdfunding on Kickstarter to make what she's calling a "1980s-style slasher movie." DiPrimio, along with her dad, Ron, surpassed their $25,000 goal and recently released a trailer of "Carver" that's garnered tens of thousands of hits on YouTube. The teenage moviemaker is dreaming her celluloid horror will reach audiences everywhere.

What inspired you to make "Carver"?
I wrote the screenplay with my father while I was recovering from ankle surgery. I am a big fan of 80s-style slasher movies like "Halloween" and "Friday the 13th," so I really wanted to write one.

Where did you find actors?
We posted casting calls on several casting Websites and the response was overwhelming. Luckily we had the help of our casting director Elisha Jachetti to help us sort through the thousands of submissions we received.

So what is the movie about?
It's about a group of teenagers who are haunted by a despicable act they committed when they were younger. Their actions caused the deaths of three innocent people. Now, on the anniversary of those deaths, an ominous calling card in the form of a carved pumpkin has been placed at each of their homes. Someone is out for revenge — the question is, who?

Are you going to promote it worldwide?
We would love to show the movie all over the world. It all depends what our distributor decides once we acquire one.

How much did it cost to film?
I raised around $32,000 on Kickstarter.

How have your friends and family reacted to the film?
I have been very fortunate with the amount of support I've received from friends and family. They are all very excited to see the movie once we finish editing.

Are you planning to make a career in directing films?
Absolutely. This is what I love to do and I hope to do it for the rest of my life.

What must-have elements does a great horror movie need?
The must-have elements for a horror movie, [and] more specifically a slasher film, are a menacing killer, ample blood and gore, a strong plot, likable characters and high tension.

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Q&A ELISABETH MOSS GOES INDIE

The "Listen Up Philip" star enjoyed doing a movie about a bad relationship.

ELISABETH MOSS
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In "Listen Up Philip," Elisabeth Moss plays Ashley, a woman whose boyfriend (Jason Schwartzman) has let the arrival of his second novel turn him into a full-on jerk. The experience itself wasn't unpleasant; she's already reunited with low-budget writer/director Alex Ross Perry for the thriller "Queen of Earth."

So much of the press for this has involved what a jerk Schwartzman's Philip is. But he sometimes seems faintly vulnerable.
I knew Jason would bring humor and humanity. He wanted him to be somebody you wanted to watch; he couldn't be so miserable that you didn't want to watch him. I remember saying to Jason, "I don't know how to describe this to you, but you're going to be fine. You're so interesting to watch, and he's such an interesting character. People are going to want to watch you do this."

Still, it's not like your character is just a doormat. She has issues.
We asked, "How are these two people together?" We don't really show them happy. We realized there's so much of Philip in Ashley: the way she can isolate herself, the way she's independent and strong-willed. That's probably what drew them together in the first place. The only difference is Ashley doesn't carry that into her relationship. Philip does.

Still, it's hard imagining him ever been nice.
He becomes more of an a—hole as he gets successful. But his misanthropic nature was probably attractive in the beginning. Because he is funny. He's an a—hole but not just in a dick-y way. He's quite smart about it. That attracted her to him at first. And then it turns on her. She's like, "It was funny when you were talking about other people, but now that you're talking about me, this no longer works for me." [Laughs]

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Celluloid hero

Girl on film

Director Alex Ross Perry shot this on Super 16, and the camera is often pushed into people's faces.
Alex and [cinematographer] Sean Price Williams wanted it to be very mobile. They wanted it to look like "Husbands and Wives," the Woody Allen film. There, the camera constantly moves and the actors are constantly moving. It really affected how we did those fight scenes. They're constantly in movement, going from one room to the next, talking and walking.

Was Williams kind of like another actor?
He's 6 feet 4 inches tall, so he's not exactly a man who can blend into the scenery easily. But you'd be surprised by how he can just shrink behind the wall. It was fun and different. Movies aren't made like that anymore.

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Q&A
MINNIE DRIVER
A STUDY IN FICTIONAL MOM CONTRASTS

Between her work on NBC's "About a Boy" and in the film "Beyond the Lights," out Nov. 14, Minnie Driver is giving a master class in questionable parenting styles. But her kooky Fiona on TV is less dangerous to her child's psyche than her aggressive stage mom to a pop star on the verge of a breakdown. We chatted with her about both characters and the challenges of growing up on TV.

It's interesting to see how different the TV show "About a Boy" is from the film.
I loved the movie a lot. I just watched it on the plane the other day. Toni Colette is so good in that film. But she just couldn't be that dark on TV. It's so beautiful how fragile she is psychologically and that whole notion of "no man is an island," which it's all built around. You have to have more than one person because of our fragility. But I take that sentiment into our show.

Some people see the show as a romantic comedy, with a "will they or won't they" aspect to Will and Fiona.
Anyone with an even basic understanding of satisfaction and psychology knows that if the "will they, won't they" was "they will," they'd lose interest and be disheartened and sad because they don't actually want that. What's fun is to watch the cat

chase after the mouse and then the mouse fight back. It's not fun to see the cat and the mouse snuggled up in bed. That's fun for a minute, then it's boring and you have nowhere to go. So I would say the deliciousness is in the anticipation of how it would possibly shake down and watching them get there.

The film can also have a resolution, but you need to keep a show going.
I think it's tricky, but if anyone can do it, (executive producer) Jason Katims can. And certainly where we're at in this season, they have me falling in love and having this big relationship, and it's super awkward and dreadful and brings up all sorts of stuff for Will,

"About a Boy" airs Tuesdays at 9:30 p.m. on NBC.
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all sorts of stuff for the kid. It's really interesting. But you do have to keep creating conflict, that's what makes it a comedy. And luckily they're conflicted people who are messy and imperfect. That's what you realize you need to tune in to.

Were you surprised by your younger co-star's sudden voice change?
Oh my God, it was so funny. We laughed. We did laugh, bless his heart. I mean, poor thing, he's just growing up on camera. It's not easy, it's awful. But he's so sweet, he's a great boy.

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Moving to movies

In "Beyond the Lights," you play this calculating stage mom driving her daughter to pop stardom.
Reality television has defined a caricature of that archetype, but for me, she's got a bit of Svengali in her, a bit of the evil stepmother, a bit of the good mother. You take pieces of each of those and you weave it together. It was a really interesting playground. She encouraged her daughter to be the sexualized version — this cookie-cutter idea of what it is men want to have sex with, what women aspire to be, what's on the cover of magazines.

That behavior might be seen differently if it were a father and son in a sports drama.
You're absolutely right. You frame it a different way and it becomes this story of courage and what it is to be a man. I think it is definitely a double standard.

TV watch list

REALITY

'The Great Halloween Fright Fight'

Do your neighbors go all out with their Halloween decorations? Next year, tell them to try out for this show: a competition to see who designs the best Halloween display.
8 P.M., ABC LISA WEIDENFELD

COMEDY

'Marry Me'

Jake and Annie try to outdo a super mom by turning their apartment into a haunted house. They should resolve their fight by competing on "Fright Fight." **9 P.M., NBC**

Jake and Annie break out the zombie Lucy and Desi costumes for "Marry Me." / BYRON COHEN, NBC

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Adult Jazz: 'A bit surreal'

Don't imagine Adult Jazz are too familiar. We'll take them just the way they are. / PRESS HERE PUBLICITY

When we meet with the members of the band Adult Jazz at a New York club during the CMJ Music Marathon, another act is doing a soundcheck. A vocalist starts (ironically?) singing Billy Joel's "Just the Way You Are." The "don't go changin' to try and please me" lyric leaks into the mic used to record our interview, and though the music of Adult Jazz has little in common with this soft rock classic, it's a strangely effective moment.

The band, whose members make their home in Leeds, England, where they went to college together, have been perfecting their aggressively unique sound since their freshman year. They won't go changin' to try and please anybody.

"We started working on the songs about four years ago, and we were saying this week that it feels a little bit ridiculous that songs that we kind of started writing in a very vague and experimental sort of giving-it-a-go kind of way would ever give us a ticket to New York," says multi-instrumentalist Tim Slater. "It's been a bit surreal."

What makes Adult Jazz stand out is that the giving-it-a-go approach is apparent on their 2014 debut, "Gist Is," even after so many years of sitting with these tunes. The song structures are hard to define for the first several listens, and once you think you get it, the abstract lyrics become apparent and give way to new mysteries. The pitch of the vocals is often shifted electronically so singer Harry Burgess sounds hardly human at times, but somehow in all of this obtuseness, there's something accessible here. Live, there is a spaciousness to the songs that becomes especially apparent when you see long intervals where one or more members won't be playing on a song.

"I think having that kind of space comes from not having a fixed setup where everyone is playing the same instruments," says Steven Wells, who often plays drums, but sometimes takes a turn at bass.

Burgess says the decision to have the songs be so open is a matter of how members regard the material: "We are all not very comfortable plodding along and playing just one chord, so if we are not excited about it, people just kind of sit there until there's something they connect to. There's no point in obligatorily playing just because you don't want to have nothing to do."

Quoted

"There's no point in obligatorily playing just because you don't want to have nothing to do." Burgess

What's in a name

Is Adult Jazz a new genre?

"When asked to explain it once, I was kind of thinking on the spot," says Burgess of the Adult Jazz name. "I came up with the idea of jazz being this really expressive, intuitive and childlike thing. And the idea of that music getting slightly more reined in with more formal pop structures, like if jazz were to grow up and have to get a proper job in finance to support a family."

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5 Things Amy Poehler gets real about in her book 'Yes Please'

New memoir. The comedian brings the laughs and doesn't hold back in "Yes Please."

Amy Poehler's memoir "Yes Please" comes out today, and early buzz indicates it will be just as successful as Tina Fey's "Bossypants" and Mindy Kaling's "Is Everyone Hanging Out Without Me?" Poehler's glossy-paged hardback details everything from her early days of comedy to her "Saturday Night Live" career, but it also spills about juicy stuff such as sex advice and details about her divorce. Here, we share some of the major talking points.

1 Divorce
Poehler writes lovingly about her ex-husband Will Arnett and honestly about their divorce: It sucked. "When you are a person going through a divorce, you feel incredibly alone, yet you are constantly reminded by society of how frequently divorce happens and how common it has become," she reveals. "You aren't allowed to feel special, but no one understands the specific ways you are in pain." Some experiences don't need a punch line.

2 Drugs
Poehler doesn't hide the fact that she's said "yes please" to most drugs. She chronicles how her father was a happy pot dealer and how she experimented with cocaine, mushrooms and ecstasy. "Cocaine is terrific if you want to hang out with people you don't know and play ping-pong all night. It's bad for almost everything else," she writes.

3 Getting older
It turns out that entering your 40s is pretty awesome: "Gone are the days (hopefully) when you take everything personally and internalize everyone's behavior. You get better at knowing what you want and need," writes Poehler.

4 Losing big awards
Poehler has won a Golden Globe and MTV Movie Award, but she's been a loser, too: "You spend weeks thinking about how it doesn't matter and it's all just an honor and then seconds before the name of the winner is announced everything inside you screams ... 'GIMME THAT PUDDING!!' Then comes the adrenaline dump, followed by shame."

5 Career counseling
"Yes Please" is no "Lean In." Poehler explains how important it is to not put your career first: "Your career won't take care of you. ... It will openly flirt with other people while you're around," she writes. She says the key is caring about your work, not the result: "You have to care about how good you are and how good you feel, but not how good people think you are or look."

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Take a trip to Witch City

Allhallows Eve.
Spooky Salem is the perfect Halloween destination.

Salem, Massachusetts, in the month of October is a lot like Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania, during the first few days of February: The town is overrun with visitors from all over the country. But for Halloween enthusiasts, the annual Salem Haunted Happenings celebration is well worth the crowds (and we'd venture to say it's a lot more fun than watching a sleepy groundhog).

Salem isn't just for those obsessed with Allhallows Eve. It's a great getaway for families, American history buffs and horror movie fans. It's too late into the Halloween season to book a coveted room at a hotel or inn in Salem proper, but Boston hotels are only a half hour away.

With so much of the town dedicated to Halloween and the history of the Salem witch trials, we've rounded up the best things to do.

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Where to find haunted history

Most people don't realize the alleged witches of Salem were not burned at the stake. The infamous Salem Witch Trials of 1692 and 1693 resulted in 22 executions — 19 of which were hangings.

The Salem Witch Museum, nestled in Washington Square by Salem Common, tells you all about the history of the eerie town. The museum is housed in a former church and its facade seems all the more ominous with a statue of Salem's founder Roger Conant — clad in a cloak — a few feet away.

Your tour starts with a narration of the story of Tituba, the 17th-century slave who was the first accused of practicing witchcraft during the trials. Later, you're led on a guided tour that takes you through the history of witchcraft up until the rites practiced among pagans today.

Best place for horror movie fans

At Count Orlok's Nightmare Gallery, you'll come face to face with Michael Myers, Norman Bates, the creature from the "Alien" movies and even Winnie from "Hocus Pocus," which is set in Salem.

The venue is a walk-through horror museum by day, but at night, Count Orlock's turns into a haunted house with zombies and monsters jumping at the chance to scare you. If you're craving even more frights, pay the few extra bucks for the Double Dare pass.

Stock up on spooky swag

Amid the dozens of shops in Salem selling witch-themed mugs, T-shirts and hats, Hex: Old World Witchery stands out. Located across the street from the "Bewitched" statue, this store seems all the more authentic when you find out its second location is in New Orleans. Browse through the store's collection of spell pillar candles, Babylonian jewelry, spell kits and books, and statues of demons and devils.

If vintage is your thing, visit Olde Naumkeag Antiques. Splurge on a 50-year-old Ouija board and then head to Salem Common at midnight to summon the spirits.

Refuel with pizza and pumpkin beer

Salem Beer Works brews its own delicious fall beers. This month, they offer Octoberfest Lager, Pumpkin Works Ale, Centennial Alt and Red October.

After you shop at Hex, have lunch at Flying Saucer Pizza Company, where the speciality pies have apt names such as Thor, Picard and Mustafar. The latter has ghost pepper salami, spinach and portobello.

After dinner one night, have a drink outside by the fire pit at the Regatta Pub at the Salem Waterfront Hotel & Suites. Say yes when your server asks if you want a caramel, cinnamon and sugar rim with your pumpkin beer.

Skip the crowds for this one

Almost all of the walking ghost tours available in Salem will stop at the Old Burying Point Cemetery. But on a busy night before Halloween, the cemetery is jam-packed, and it's hard to appreciate its significance with a horde of people walking through. Try to take your own tour around the second-oldest recorded burial ground in the United States when it's less crowded. (And bring a flashlight.)

During your walk, stop at the Witch Trials Memorial to see stones dedicated to those who stood trial, such as Giles Corey, who along with his wife, Martha, was accused of witchcraft. Giles refused to claim his innocence or guilt and was instead pressed to death with stones. He died after two days.

PLUS

Boo!

Top haunts

Zombies, haunted hayrides and abandoned buildings are "trending in terror" this year, according to the national Haunted Attraction Association. If the scares in your city aren't enough, plan a trip to one of these HAA-approved spots.

Twisted Darkness

Battle zombies with laser-beam guns at this Kokomo, Indiana, haunted house. www.twistedhaunt.com

Huston's Haunted Hollow

Head to Rockwood, Pennsylvania, for the best (worst?) of both worlds: A haunted hayride and a Trail of Terror march through a zombie-filled swamp. www.hauntedhollow.net

Saint Lucifer's

It's a long-abandoned asylum for the mentally insane with miles of underground tunnels in Flint, Michigan. Enough said. www.michiganhauntedhouse.com

Top toys of 2014

Parents magazine has released a list of the coolest new toys out now.

EMILY LAURENCE

From "Frozen" toys to pet robot dinosaurs, the slew of new toys released this year is hard to keep up with. To find out which ones are really worth buying, Parents magazine editors — with the help of kids and parents — tested all the new playthings for babies, toddlers, preschoolers and grade-school age kids that they could get their hands on. They reveal the 58 best toys of 2014 in their November issue, out now.

"Our search for the best toys began last winter and lasted all through the summer," says Parents magazine entertainment editor Jessica Hartshorn. "We secured early samples of new toys and either tested them in our office with kids or mailed them to families to test. The editors did a fair amount of testing as well, making sure the toys behave as they're supposed to. We want toys that are genuinely fun and worth the money, and try to find toys that have a new twist of some sort. We tested hundreds to come up with our list!" We highlight some of their favorite picks here, just in time for early holiday shopping.

6 Wooden Stack & Count Parking Garage

If you're tight on space, you'll appreciate that this parking garage toy is built up, and not out. But besides being compact and fun, it's also a helpful learning tool: The colors help reinforce counting. Don't you love it when toys sneak a teaching moment in there? **$20, Melissa and Doug**

5 Vtech Kidizoom Smartwatch

Who needs the Apple Watch? This electronic watch for kids gives them plenty to do. Between playing games and taking pictures and videos, there's enough on this gadget to keep them busy. **$59.99, VtechKids.com**

4 Sesame Street Let's Imagine Elmo

Elmo continues to win over kids year after year. This year's reincarnation is Let's Imagine Elmo. Elmo takes on a different role depending on what hat he's wearing. If your child puts the pirate hat on Elmo, he acts like a pirate, while the cowboy hat makes him sound like someone from the Wild West. There are four interactive modes with songs, games and actions. **$39.99, Target**

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Horoscope

♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23-Nov. 21. Don't offer private information. A casual remark made to the wrong person will cause serious difficulties.

♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22-Dec. 21. Contribute to your community in some small way. Showing your generous side will spark the interest of someone.

♑ Capricorn | Dec. 22-Jan. 20. You will be distressed by someone who lets you down. If too much pressure is put on your relationship, you will need to consider backing away.

♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21-Feb. 18. Don't hesitate to accept a leadership position within your group. Influential individuals will be impressed by you.

♓ Pisces | Feb. 19-March 20. Come to terms with whatever is preying on your mind. It's hard to move forward when you are still looking back.

♈ Aries | March 21-April 20. An impromptu day trip will inspire you to explore unfamiliar places. Plan a holiday to somewhere new with someone you enjoy spending time with.

♉ Taurus | April 21-May 21. Not everyone will understand what's going on in your personal life or your community. Be diplomatic.

♊ Gemini | May 22-June 20. Don't let your emotions dominate your day. Try not to overreact if someone offers you unsolicited advice. Help will come to you from an unusual source.

♋ Cancer | June 21-July 22. Many people will look up to you if you are conscientious and thoughtful. A recommendation will be made that will lead to a promotion.

♌ Leo | July 23-Aug. 22. If you have been spending too much time in front of the TV, take on a physical challenge. Friends and colleagues may not join in, but don't let that stop you.

♍ Virgo | Aug. 23-Sept. 22. Honesty is the best policy, but you should also be mindful of other people's feelings. A gentle suggestion will be effective.

♎ Libra | Sept. 23-Oct. 22. You will feel especially upbeat and optimistic today. Share your good spirit with everyone you encounter.

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Letters

Sykes has good advice, poor delivery

Columnist Timothy Sykes offers good financial advice, but it's clear that many people (from ALL walks of life) find his language egotistical, boastful and not entirely relevant to the advice he is trying to give. If his goal is to help people, it would make more sense to do so with language that will reach more of his audience rather than alienating them.

SARAH H., VIA EMAIL

Re: 'How not to get rich' (Metro, Oct. 27) Does letter writer Monique Chouinard not remember what city Metro is published in? Who the hell cares about this idiot's Lamborghini? I am a young, successful, independent woman. I have a good job, I pay my taxes and I'll be the first to tell you: Even if I were a billionaire, the last thing I would do is waste my money on overpriced cars and houses that are nothing more than pathetic status symbols, things most people don't truly want or need. I find this guy lacks some serious tact, let alone self-respect. Let me sum it up for you like this: Would I really want to take any type of advice from someone who is so low-class that he WANTED to be on a reality TV show about overpriced boat rides and snotty staffs?

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1 Flop's opposite
2 Ventricle neighbor
3 Indy driver
4 Examine closely
5 Medieval club
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12 — meridiem
13 Interpret tea leaves
21 Air-pump meas.
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37 Hunter's garb
40 Tousle
43 Airplane's lack
44 Blissful spot
46 Prism display
49 Gulf st.
51 Halloween quaff
52 Jack, in cards
53 Hideous monsters
55 It may be good or bad
56 PC message (hyph.)
57 Florentine poet
58 Shopping center
59 Hydrox rival
60 Bone below the elbow
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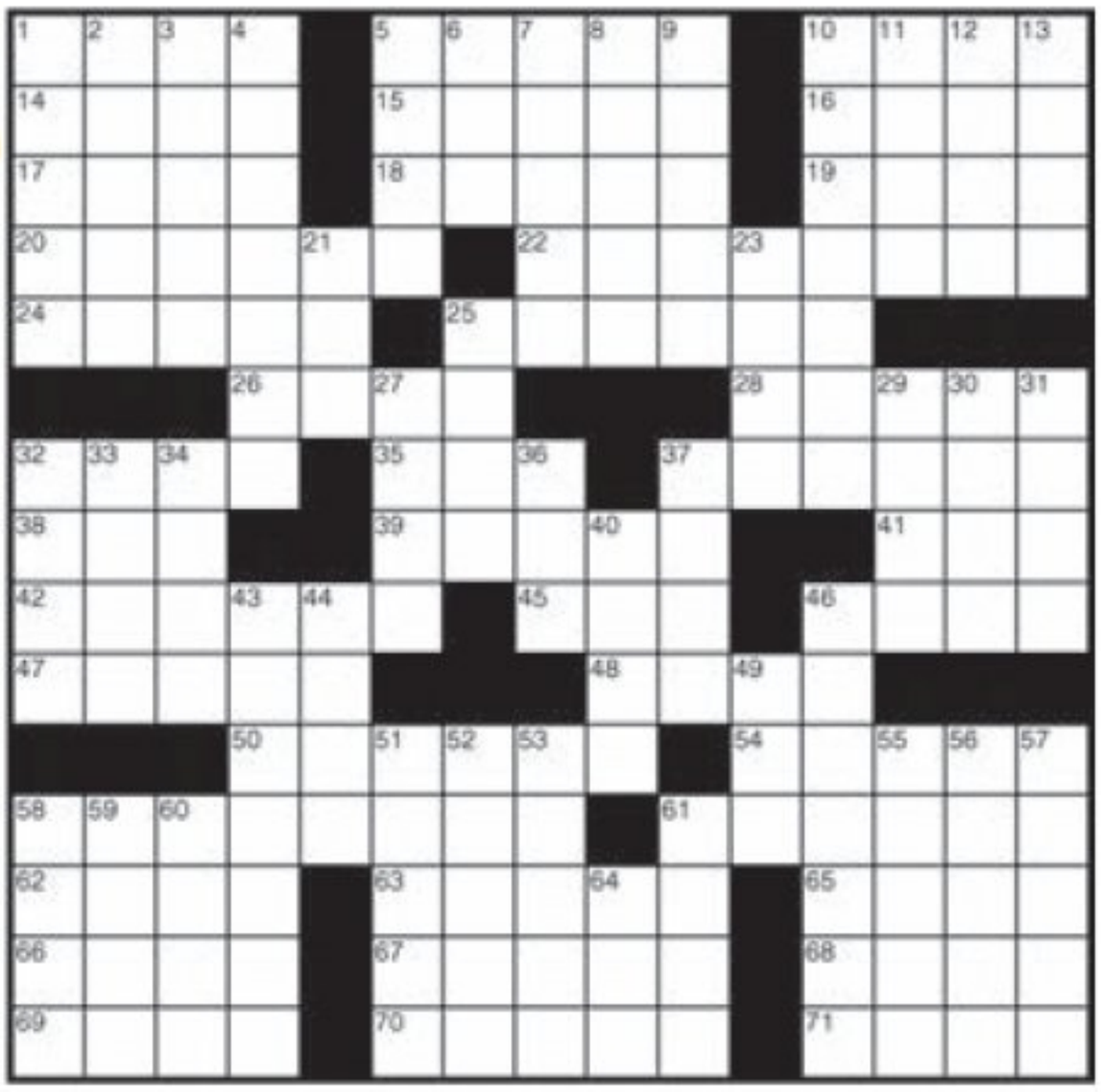

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THE DAY CHIP KELLY TURNED INTO ANDY REID

For one painful afternoon in Arizona, Chip Kelly morphed into Andy Reid. Suddenly, the brilliant Eagles coach was cranking out one bad play call after another, floundering in the red zone, misusing referee challenges, botching the end of a close game.

The only thing lacking from Kelly's abysmal performance was Reid's signature line, "I've got to do a better job," after the heartbreaking 24-20 loss to the Cardinals. Yes, Kelly's effort Sunday was that bad.

Not only did Kelly have an extra week to prepare for the overrated Cards, he also found nothing in the desert that should have surprised him. Carson Palmer is not Peyton Manning, Andre Ellington is not LeSean McCoy and Larry Fitzgerald, at age 31, is no longer supposed to be Larry Fitzgerald.

Kelly's play-calling cost the Eagles the game Sunday. / GETTY IMAGES

Cataldi on Kelly

"Even smart coaches can have a stupid game every once in a while, but they shouldn't make a habit of it. Just ask Andy Reid."

But Kelly and his well-rested Eagles played a stupid football game. Under their innovative coach, the Birds are designed to overcome their roster holes by always winning the IQ matchup. Well, they lost the battle of wits on Sunday — and the coach himself was the main culprit.

Palmer totally overmatched Nick Foles in the pivotal final minutes, Ellington also made some big plays late, and Fitzgerald gashed the Eagles defense for 160 yards on seven catches. Meanwhile, Kelly had no answers at the end, when the Eagles needed them most.

For example, Kelly failed to challenge the spot near the goal line with three minutes left.

Kelly said after the game — and again on Monday on my WIP radio show — that his replay assistants couldn't find indisputable evidence of the bad spot. Somehow, the rest of the world saw the mistake just fine.

Then came an even dumber moment. The fastest player on the field, John Brown, zoomed past cornerback Cary Williams and safety Nate Allen for a 75-yard game-winning touchdown pass with 81 seconds left. The one play that could beat the Eagles did beat the Eagles.

One game is not going to dismantle the foundation of good will that Kelly has earned in his 21 months as Eagles coach, but he should not ignore the lesson of Sunday's loss.

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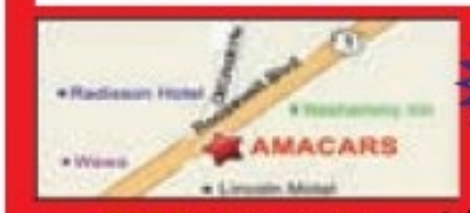

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Last-minute moves

76ers roster starting to take shape

As expected, the Sixers have made a handful of minor moves as the season opener approaches Wednesday.

They signed NBADL All-Star Malcom Thomas to a deal Monday. Thomas had 18.3 points and 10.4 rebounds last season.

The team also traded Arnett Moultrie to the Knicks in exchange for Travis Outlaw and the Clippers' second-round pick in 2019. They also swapped two other second-round draft picks. METRO

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NBA power rankings | by James Toscano

No. 1

Clippers (57-25)

Head coach Doc Rivers has a full year under his belt in Southern California, the circus surrounding former owner Donald Sterling is over, and it seems like only injuries can stop this talented bunch. No more excuses for Chris Paul and Co. As far as depth goes, Glen "Big Baby" Davis and Hedo Turkoglu return and Los Angeles went out and signed veterans Jordan Farmar, Spencer Hawes and Chris Douglas-Roberts.

No. 2

Spurs (62-20)

Their "Big 3" is another year older, but age is just another useless stat to this team.

No. 3

Cavaliers (33-49)

First came LeBron James, then Kevin Love. The Cavs won the offseason and are favorites in the East.

No. 4

Thunder (59-23)

Losing Kevin Durant for the start of the season could be the difference between a top seed and a middle seed this spring.

No. 5

Rockets (54-28)

The Rockets couldn't land any of the big names in free agency and lost Chandler Parsons to Dallas.

No. 6

Warriors (51-31)

Stephen Curry and Klay Thompson remain in the backcourt after the Warriors refused to part with Thompson for Kevin Love.

No. 7

Blazers (54-28)

The starting lineup, led by Damian Lillard and LaMarcus Aldridge, will score — but will they defend?

No. 8

Bulls (48-34)

Pau Gasol joins Joakim Noah in the post. Of course, the health of Derrick Rose will be the key.

No. 9

Wizards (44-38)

The hip pick out of the East this season is the Wizards, who added veteran leadership with Paul Pierce.

No. 10

Mavericks (49-33)

The Mavs snagged Chandler Parsons, Tyson Chandler and Jameer Nelson, among others, while retaining Dirk Nowitzki.

No. 11

Raptors (48-34)

The guys north of the border look to be competitive again. They re-signed Kyle Lowry, which was their most important move.

No. 12

Grizzlies (50-32)

The Grizzlies will remain a tough and gritty bunch after extending Zach Randolph. They also signed Vince Carter over the summer.

No. 13

Heat (54-28)

It was a fun run for the Heat, but without LeBron James' talents, they're no longer considered top dog. That said, they're still a playoff team.

No. 14

Suns (48-34)

The rising Suns finally came to terms with restricted free agent guard Eric Bledsoe.

No. 15

Hornets (43-39)

The "Bobcats" are dead, and that's probably a good thing. They've got a nice little team here.

No. 16

Pacers (56-26)

The biggest loser this offseason is Indy. Lance Stephenson is gone to Charlotte and Paul George broke his leg.

No. 17

Nets (44-38)

After a frustrating 2013-14, the Nets will look to make a little noise with lowered expectations. But can Brook Lopez stay healthy?

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